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Applicant:

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## Petition to Commissioner Under 37 CFR § 1.47

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Jerry Wayne Rodrigue, a joint inventor in the captioned nonprovisional patent application, respectfully petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.47 to permit him to make the application on behalf of himself and a nonsigning joint inventor who refuses to join in the application.

Attached hereto are the Declarations of Mr. Rodrigue and of the undersigned setting forth proof of the pertinent facts.

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A check on the amount of \$130 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h) is included with this petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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